

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 10 Apr 58	2. LOCATION Over Birmingham, Ala.		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other <i>Practice Bomb</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 0928 EST CMT 10/1328Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar		
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Military		
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not given	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE South	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Long slender obj. A silver streak(ing) seemed to be dropping off & disappeared aft of the flying obj which was traveling at an extremely high rate of speed.		11. COMMENTS Believed to be an a/c dropping practice bombs or fuel tank.	

2 OFFICERS

DELETED BL

Multi

10 Apr 58
0828 EST / 6

11 22 54

RE132

11 APR 58 07 40

OV SQG185 YMB155DNB150

PP RJEDSQ RJEPHQ RJWFDN

DE RJEDDN 172

P 111630Z

FM COMDR ADC

TO RJEDSQ/COMDR ATIC

RJEPHQ/COFS HQ

RJWFDN/COMDR 34TH ADIV

BT

/UNCLAS/FR ADODI 123

FOR AFCIN AND OIS AT HQ USAF, FOR D/I, 34TH AIR DIVISION. UFO/REFER-

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1 } 4F3
2 }
3 4E4
4 4X2a
(C48)

→ Same to their back at this time.

Released to the public, 12 Jan 58, of Fort Worth

Based on PLN CHEROKEE-AP-9

ENCE AFR 200-2, DATED 5 FEBRUARY 1958 FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM 2596TH
AIR BASE SQUADRON, CARSWELL AFB, NEW MEXICO, IS QUOTED FOR YOUR INFOR-
MATION. QUOTE. SIGHTED BY TWO FOXTROT 80 PILOTS OVER BHM AT 0823 EST

10 APR 58 WHILE FLYING WEST AT 31 THOUSAND FEET. QUOTE. SIGHTED A
LONG SLENDER OBJECT AHEAD OF OUR FLIGHT PATH APROX 50 NM, HEADING
NORTH TO SOUTH ESTIMATED TO BE APROX 40 THOUSAND FEET, VICINITY OF
OBJECT NW OF BHM TO S OF TCL. A SILVER STREAK SEEMED TO BE DROPPING
OFF AND DISAPPEARING AFT OF THE FLYING OBJECT, WHICH WAS TRAVELING AT

*where is this?
deduced
estimated
or
determined?*

Check of Sputnik II - what time?

*Not Sputnik
over N. Korea
at that time.*

Check! g/c

Birmingham, Ala. Tuscaloosa, Ala.

*Note: Does he say that
a wing, fuselage,
or other surface of
the object was observed
closely?*

PAGE TWO RJEDDN 172

AN EXTREMELY HIGH RATE OF SPEED, NO INSIGNIA OBSERVED. REPORTED BY
MAJOR EDWARD H AVNE, COMMANDER, CAPTAIN DONALD J. LANG, OPNS OFFICER
4TH TWO TARGET SQDN, GEORGE AFB, CALIFORNIA. UNQUOTE.

BT

11/2130Z APR RJEDDN

*1957B appear over N. Korea at
at 0823 EST (1328Z) 10 Apr.*

Amated

Aircraft

*Don't
Check with Training
Commander
that was drawing
(Commander) of 4th and bombing
US by drawing of a
on aircraft for
US report on 10/11/53*